GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Foreign Visit – Permission to to Sri Kona Sasidhar, IAS, Secretary to Govt., Human Resources (School Education) Dept., and others 4 officials to visit Finland to attend the Finish National Agency for Education (EDUFI), Finland and to study best practices in world renowned finish model of Education starting from Early Childhood till higher from 06.11.2025 to 12.11.2025 – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 2043 Dated: 04-11-2025

Read:

From the Secretary to Govt., Human Resources(School Education) Department, Web Application No. ESE01-2025102711550955

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ORDER:

In the circumstances stated in the reference read above, permission is hereby accorded to the following officials to attend the Finish National Agency for Education (EDUFI), Finland and to study best practices in world renowned Finish model of Education starting from Early Childhood till higher from 06.11.2025 to 12.11.2025:-

1. Sri . Kona Sasidhar, IAS Secretary to Govt., School Education Dept.,
2. Sri Narayana Bharath Guptha, IAS, Director of Collegiate Education.
3. Sri V. Vijaya Rama Raju, IAS, Director of School Education
4. Sri G. Ganesh Kumar, IAS, MD & CEO of Skill Development Corporation & Director of Technical Education.
5. Sri B. Srinivasa Rao, IAS , State Project Director , Samagra Shiksha.

2. The Expenditure for three officers at Sl. No.1,3 & 5 above will be met from the world bank sponsored investment project financing budget of SALT project and the expenditure for remaining two officers at sl. No.2 & 4 above will be met from the MMER component of RUSA project

3. The visit of the above said Officers is subject to obtaining necessary clearances from Government of India by the concerned Department and also subject to regulation (rescheduling/short-cutting/cancelling) owing to official exigencies when the presence of the officers is considered essential for the discharge of official duties before the scheduled departure.

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4. The period of absence of the above said Officers in connection with the above visit including journey time, both ways, shall be treated as on duty, during which the officers will draw the pay and allowances which they would have drawn but for their visit to Finland.

5. The Officers shall submit a report of their visit within one week soon after completion of the visit, specific with well-defined outputs of the visit that could be adopted for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

6. The General Administration (SC.A) Dept., shall make in charge arrangements to the post of Secretary to Government, Human Resources (School Education) Dept., during the period of the foreign visit.

7. The Secretary to Govt., Human Resources (School Education/ Higher Education) Dept., shall take necessary action to make in charge arrangements to the posts held by the officials at Sl. No. 2 to 5 during the period of their foreign visit.

8. This orders issues with the concurrence of PFS vide U.O.No. PFS/ 9426/FTR/27102025

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K. VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Officers concerned.
The Secretary to Government, Human Resources (School Education) Dept., .
Copy to:
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Finance Department of Economic Affairs, North Block, New Delhi.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi.
The Under Secretary to GoI, Ministry of Home Affairs, Room No.8, FCRA- Division, Hospitality Section, Jaisalmer House, 26, Man Singh Road, New Delhi.
The Finance Department / Human Resources (School Education) Department.
The G.A.(SC-A) Department, A.P. Secretariat.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Andhra Pradesh.
The Accountant General (A&E), Vijayawada, A.P.
The OSD/ PS to Chief Secretary to Govt./Prl.Secretary to Govt. (Poll.)
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SECTION OFFICER (SC)